



Hundon Community Primary School  
Newsletter  
Friday 22nd June 2018



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Head Teacher's Awards

Acorn~Henry Smith

Willow~Ethan Marshall & Lacey Shepherd

Oak~Erin Jeggo

Hawthorn~The Rounders Team & Issy Jones

A little note from Mrs Fitzgerald...

Apologies for the delay in getting this newsletter out ~ we had a few technical issues ~ all fixed now thank goodness.

Another sunny week ~ I think we could all get used to this!

We had a Languages Week last week and the children really enjoyed! I do hope they had been coming home sharing their new knowledge, including words and phrases, information about regions and landmarks as well as telling you about the various delicacies they had been sampling! It has been a real success thanks in no small part to Mrs Copping who organised everyone and all the teachers and staff who made the learning come alive ~ thanks everyone!

Really looking forward to seeing our Key Stage Two production this week, the children have been working ever so hard and I hope to see lots of you at Sports Day Afternoon on Friday.

Warm regards, Mrs Fitzgerald

**SPORTS DAY AFTERNOON  
FRIDAY 29TH JULY**

**FULL DETAILS OF THIS EVENT WERE SENT OUT  
PREVIOUSLY VIA PARENTMAIL. WE ARE REALLY LOOKING  
FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!**



## Annual Reports

As mentioned previously all annual school reports will be sent home on Thursday 12th July. These will be accompanied with the National Curriculum Test outcomes for Year 6 and Year 2 pupils. The results of the Phonics Check in Year 1 and the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) outcomes for Reception pupils will be shared with the annual reports also.

### **REMINDER ~ WEATHER APPROPRIATE DRESS**

Please can we take this opportunity to politely remind parents and carers of the need to ensure the children are appropriately dressed for the school day?

The children should have sun cream to apply to themselves and a sun hat in school (the latter can be purchased from the School Office for a cost of £5,) in order to be safe in this most welcome sunny weather!

Please can parents and carers also ensure the children have a school jumper with them as well as a jacket ~ just in case!

Many thanks for your support.

### **SPORTING THEMED LUNCHES**

**Please note below a change to the normal lunch menu for w/c July 2nd 2018:**

#### **Football Fever Menu 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2018**

Mexican Wave Beef Burger or Veggie Burger  
Potato Wedges and Coleslaw  
Chocolate Muddy Pitch Cake

#### **Wimbledon Menu Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July**

Choose from a Selection of Fresh Sandwiches or Wraps  
Choose one savoury option  
Choose either a Fresh Fruit Wedges or Vegetable Sticks  
Choose from a Selection of Desserts

### **Hawthorn Enterprise Sale Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July**

From 2.30pm on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, Hawthorn Class will be holding an enterprise sale. Items will be made and sold by the class and will cost £1 or less, and all proceeds will be donated to the children's chosen charity Cancer Research. All welcome.

**READY... STEADY...  
BOOK FAIR!**

## **BOOK FAIR**

Just to say a big thank you for all your support with our recent Book Fair. We raised £338.41 which gave us £95.36 to spend on books for our school ~ thank you!



**Online Uniform Ordering:** Please be advised the final delivery into school will be on the **9<sup>th</sup> of July 2018**. Therefore the option for into school delivery will not be available to parents from midnight on the **22<sup>th</sup> of June** and will re-commence early September.

Any orders placed after the **22<sup>nd</sup> of June** for into school delivery will **NOT** be delivered into school until September.

All parents can choose the alternative method for home delivery for the small charge of £2.95 if preferred. The home delivery service is a 24 hour 1<sup>st</sup> Class, full tracked service.

### **FOR YOUR INFORMATION: ATTENDANCE**

As a Suffolk County Council (SCC) maintained school we are obligated to follow not only the statutory guidance and regulations laid down by the Department of Education and their directives but in turn those directed by the Local Authority and this includes areas such as school attendance. We are required to follow-up on the individual attendance levels of all pupils which are below those associated with 'regular attendance' and we have to evidence what we have done to address these, we have to demonstrate how we are being accountable for the attendance figures as well as show how we are holding parents and carers to account.

We regularly have to submit attendance figures to the Lead Attendance Officer at SCC and our allocated Education Welfare Officer (EWO) visits the school to examine our attendance information, monitoring reasons for absence, checking we have asked for medical evidence, for example, and will be asked to intervene where the attendance of any child is considered too low or who are persistently absent over a number of weeks.

Furthermore, our attendance rates contribute to our Ofsted judgements, particularly that related to pupil Personal Development, Behaviour and Welfare and this outcome contributes to the school's rating.

In total there are 175 non-school days in a year. This provides families with the opportunity to spend time together, go on family visits, go on holiday, go shopping, go on days out and attend routine appointments.

Going forward a Penalty Notice Fine will be issued where a pupil has missed **4 school days (8 sessions) or more** due to unauthorised absence during a school year.

To confirm going forward, this means the **8<sup>th</sup> session will trigger the penalty notice fine.**

Contrary to popular belief any monies resulting from issued Penalty Notice Fines do not come to the school.



**Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow**

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



### SUMMER TERM

*Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am ~ KS2 Performance of 'An Inspector Calls'*

*Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June ~ Sports Day from Midday*

*Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July ~ Reserve Sports Day Afternoon*

*Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July am ~ Year 6 Crucial Crew Event*

*2.30pm Hawthorn Enterprise Sale*

*Monday 9<sup>th</sup> ~ Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July ~ Transition days*

*Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July ~ YEAR 6 LEAVER'S ASSEMBLY ~ PM*

*Reports*

*Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July ~ Year 6's Leaver's Trip*

*Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July 3.15pm ~ Parents open Evening*

*Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July ~ **END OF TERM***

## **Term Dates for the Academic Year 2018-2019**

### **Autumn Term 2018**

Begins 5 September 2018  
Ends 19 December 2018

**5 and 6 September PD days**

### **Autumn Half Term**

Begins 22 October 2018  
Ends 26 October 2018

### **Christmas Holiday**

Begins 20 December 2018  
Ends 1 January 2019

### **Spring Term 2019**

Begins 2 January 2019  
Ends 5 April 2019

### **Spring Half Term**

Begins 18 February 2019  
Ends 22 February 2019

### **Spring Easter Break**

Begins 8 April 2019  
Ends 22 April 2019

### **Summer Term 2019**

Begins 23 April 2019  
Ends 24 July 2019

### **Summer Half Term**

Begins 27 May 2019  
Ends 31 May 2019

**3 PD days to be confirmed**